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500 yards Satin Rhadams, 75c, worth 1.25.

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10 pieces Turkey Red Table Linens, 39c, worth 75c.

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25 dozen Gents' Underwear, 25c, worth 50c.

500 pairs two-button kid gloves, 25c, worth 1.00.

300 pairs Musquetaire kid gloves, 1.00, worth 1.50.

600 Dolls, worth 2.00, reduced to 1.39.

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A Money Losing Sale on Cloaks

Our entire stock of Cloaks must be sold. Now is the time to make selections. A money losing sale prior to inventory. The greatest sale we ever made. Every article we quote is a positive loss. It will pay you to come 50 miles to buy what you wish to purchase or not.

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100 REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS.

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Will greet the eye upon entering our stores to-morrow. Pile after pile of astounding goods will rise to view, and sympathetic will fall around like rain from a sobbing child.

Our surprise sale will touch your sympathetic nerve. It will reach the feather—it will touch your pockets, and every one who visits us to-morrow will be surprised at their lack of will power to resist, and those who don't come will be surprised at their folly as they see what surprising bargains their neighbors got at the great surprise sale. We will be surprised and you will be surprised and the

Entire Community Will be Surprised

At the surprising success this great surprise sale is going to have. So await you from every country in the world, and the People's Store has ordered them all up to present them as a whole to the people of the semi-tropics.

We will show you what is not a surprise even now—that the People's Store will have

VALUES BEYOND THE PALE OF COMPETITION

We ask you to look at everybody's remnants in town, for they all have to meet tables, and if ours are not 50 per cent cheaper than anybody's, don't buy them. Goods are stacked up all over the store in monster heaps, and we are going to have them carted away. Everything you can think of is going to be thrown into this sale—

Men, Women and Children's Wear

All Kinds.

We have given our manager carte blanche to surprise you, and the native manner in which his preparations have gone on and the fearless disregard of prices leads us to believe that he will tender you and us a genuine surprise.

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THE WEATHER.

SIGNAL SERVICE INDICATIONS.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14—8 p. m.—Indications for succeeding thirty-two hours: California, generally fair weather, except on northwestern coast. Local rains, variable winds.

LOCAL BULLETIN.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, Jan 14—Local 81, at 12:07 p. m. Stand at 5:07 p. m. 70. Barometer for corresponding periods, 29.97, 29.98. Rain, 0. Maximum temperature, 69.3; minimum, 49.1. Weather at 5:07 p. m., clear.

The Times.

Office—Temple, Main and New High.

THE San Luis Obispo people want a bookseller.

NEW YORK smokers, if they are wise, will look up their old pipes. The cigarettes seem to mean business.

JUST ordinary gold-bug Senator who thinks he can bluff Senator Stanford on any dollar proposition (silver or gold) you bet.

THE fees of the Clerk of Fresno county for December last were $348.50; for the entire year, $3,743.35. Those of the Clerk of Los Angeles county for the same were $1,896.28; for the year, $20,316.37; average monthly fees, $1,693.03.

THE Supervisors have added the weight of their influence to the petition to Congress for the further improvement of Wilmington harbor, for the location of a Government building in Los Angeles, and the establishment of a United States Court.

THE great a coiner of silver India has been in years past, is shown in a special dispatch compiled from the files of a Bombay financier. The figures of cards and other courtesies. The TIMES acknowledges the receipt of cards and other courtesies. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, who knew Mr. Richardson when he was the editor of the TIMES, informs the TIMES that he at one time owned or controlled as many as fifty cotton plantations, embracing forty-two thousand acres. He was the head of the house of Richardson & May, of New Orleans, extensive cotton commission merchants, who handled as high as 140,000 bales of cotton in a year, on which the commissions amounted to $700,000. He was President of the New Orleans Exposition, and a man of great energy and good judgment, alert, and a great worker, by which means he amassed his immense fortune.

THE Mormons of Arizona cannot take any other way of getting themselves rid of them than to let the impression get out that they are trying to furnish arms to the Indians. If the long - suffering Arizonians get so thoroughly disgusted as to sweep down on them, they will be dispatched to a country where no one will be apiece is an uncertainty.

THE biggest thing that San Francisco has experienced for some time, comes to the surface now in a four hundred dollar lawsuit. The contestant, Mr. J. Moore, sues for 160 acres of land in the heart of the city, and good pushes therefrom to the amount of $100,000. An alleged Mexican deed is at the bottom of the suit. Who wants the earth.

IT seems that, after all, the Bell Telephone Company will have to fight for its rights it claims, and with the Government as contestant. Secretary Lamar recommends that the case be argued in a proper court, not in the interests of adverse claimants, but for the benefit of the public. If the letters patent are annulled, the invention will belong to the public, and all telephone companies will be dispensed with.

THE subject of I. W. Hellman's recent visit to San Francisco was accomplished by the refunding of $437,000 in 7 per cent bonds of the county with bonds in the sum bearing 4½ per cent. Mr. Hellman at first met with strenuous opposition from the original holders of the bonds, who scouted the idea of giving up their 7 per cent. interest for 6½ per cent. But he found where he could place the bonds at the reduced interest and he gave the choice of capitalists the alternative of taking 4½ per cent. or their money. They gracefully came to taw and accepted the reduced interest. For his success in the refunding Mr. Hellman is paid $4370.

BERNARD RICHARDSON, who died of paralysis, at Jackson, Mississippi, on the 11th inst., was known as the largest cotton-planter in the world. A gentleman who knew Mr. Richardson informs the TIMES that he at one time owned or controlled as many as fifty cotton plantations, embracing forty-two thousand acres. He was the head of the house of Richardson & May, of New Orleans, extensive cotton commission merchants, who handled as high as 140,000 bales of cotton in a year, on which the commissions amounted to $700,000. He was President of the New Orleans Exposition, and a man of great energy and good judgment, alert, and a great worker, by which means he amassed his immense fortune.

AMUSEMENTS.

ADELPHI KATRINA.—This droll comedian and his company played to another rather small house at the Grand last evening. The piece is keeping double bill failed to draw the audience, however, and the fun presented and certainly went away disappointed.

ROSE JOLLIS.—Chas. H. Davis's *Alvin Joslin* company will appear to-night at Temple House. Immediately after their appearance on to-day's train his famous $20,000 band will parade the streets.

G. B. BARTON.—The well-known cheerful countenance will appear in his own version of Widow Bedott next Monday evening. The box plan already indicates a crowded house.

Needs a Remedy.

Considerable trouble has been had from time to time with the sewerage of the new building. While Confidence Engine Company was in the building it was annoyed in this way. Now the same is in the big cell in the jail, and forty or more prisoners sleep right. The sewer seems to go up, and its contents ooze up the slant in the middle of the stench in the room is very useful. An attempt was made to clear the sewer with a force-pump in vain.

Where is He?

A. L. Sullivan, the old man who runs a boarding school in the Cerolo Francaise on the side of the Pico House, is mysteriously missing, not having been seen since Sunday night. His friends are inclined on the hypothesis that he has met foully death with. The police say that he had no money to be killed for, and in accordance with his habit, he is lying around somewhere drunk, and will turn up when sober enough.

To Mrs. U. L. Partridge.

The Santa Barbara papers announce marriage, at that place, last Monday night, of Miss Fannie Law, daughter of Hon. C. P. Law, to G. L. Partridge, Esq. The TIMES acknowledges the receipt of cards and other courtesies. The happy couple have arrived in this city en route to St. Louis, which will be their future home. They have a multitude of good wishes from countless friends of the lady on this coast.

Municipal Improvements.

The City Council has officially announced its intention to establish the line of Union avenue from Seventh to Ninth street, and to change and establish the grade of New High street from Temple street to Franklin street.

HELLO!

Secretary Lamar Calls Up the Bell Telephone

AND PUTS IT ON TRIAL FOR ITS RIGHTS.

The Suit to be Instituted for the Benefit of the People, and Not for Special Contestants.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Secretary Lamar this afternoon sent to Attorney-General Goodie a letter containing his conclusions upon the proofs and arguments submitted touching the validity of the Bell telephone patent of March 7, 1876, in which he says, in part: "Petitioners, upon the grounds and for the reasons set forth in their petition, ask the Department of Justice to cause or allow appropriate legal proceedings to be instituted in the proper court by the Government, or in the name of the Government, on their relation to vacate and annul the Bell telephone patent of the 7th of March, 1876. The Government is asked to institute judicial inquiry as to the patent of the Bell Telephone Company, upon the allegation that such patent was obtained by fraud on the part of the patentee, with collusion or by inadvertence and mistake of the executive officers of the Government. If these allegations be true, a great wrong to the whole people rests on the name, and is sustained by the power of the United States. To say the Government inflicts a wrong, would seem to imply that, somewhere among its resources, the Government would have power to redress it. If two patents issue for some invention, one is certainly wrongful. If the other is rightful, the whole interest in the question as to which is rightful is confined to two patentees, and private legislation will secure the needed remedy in determining who has the right patent, as between rival claimants. If, however, there is only one patent, and it has been fraudulently obtained to the exclusion of one really entitled to it, and if a public benefit has issued for an invention non-patentable—an invention already belonging to the world—it becomes the duty, as well as the right of the Government, when sufficient public importance, to actively seek its cancellation; because private litigation is not a possible or adequate remedy, and because the whole people are wronged, without other modes of relief. A patent bears the great seal of the Government, and only the Government can ask to have that seal torn off. The grounds of invalidity alleged against the Bell Telephone patent may be substantially summarized thus:

First—The patent was procured by fraud in the interference, through collusion or mistake of officers of the Patent Office, and in violation of the right of a caveator named Elisha Gray.

Second—The invention patented was not patentable, because already public.

These allegations describe issues in which the Government, in my view, ought to actively interfere for the cancellation of the patent. The question is whether enough has been shown, upon the hearing, to require the submission of the matter to a court at the instance of the Government. Such a case is presented as, I think, ought to undergo thorough judicial investigation. In a case involving such questions, I think the especial responsibility upon the Government, as a duty to its own officers, to vindicate or condemn, and a duty to the people to set on foot and follow up a complete investigation. In my opinion all proceedings should be in the name and wholly by the Government; not on the relation or for the benefit of all or any of the petitioners, but in the interest of the Government and the people, and wholly at the expense and under the conduct and control of the Government. Hitherto I should be indifferent to this point and in such court as will best subserve the purposes of public convenience; and the full inquiry of such questions as are noted will, as I think, comport with the dignity of the Government and the gravity of the subject, and will insure a final and just adjudication of the merits of the controversy. Very respectfully,

L. Q. C. LAMAR.

A NERVY ENGINEER

Saves a Train-Load of New Yorkers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—A most dreadful accident was narrowly averted by a quick-witted engineer this morning. The north bound express on the New York and Long Island Railroad was filled with prominent New York business men coming to their offices. Near Motowan, and just before reaching a trestle-bridge 500 feet long, the cars were derailed by a broken frog. The cars, after dropping down on the ties, ran across the bridge, snapping the steel rails into bits and tearing the wooden structure into splinters. The rear coach lost its truck and was drawn a long distance on its floor-beams. George Chickner, engineer, finding it impossible to stop his engine, which was tearing along at the rate of thirty miles an hour, saw that the only hope was to increase the speed. He threw open the throttle and then prevented the cars from toppling over the bridge. The cars swayed from side to side, but they were safely carried out of danger. The passengers were all more or less shaken up, but nobody was seriously hurt.

FORBIDS THE BANS.

A Cruel Guardian Who Keeps Two Hearts from Beating Together.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—A Times New Haven special says: Major George H. Larned, of the Russell Military Academy, called at the office of the Register of Vital Statistics to-day and gave warning that no marriage license should be issued to his ward, Charles A. Hart, at one time a student at the school. Hart is eighteen years old and is the son of a traveling agent of Cheney Bros., silk manufacturers. His residence is in San Bernardino county, Cal. Some time ago young Hart became a clerk in one of the dry goods stores of this city. There he met a fellow-clerk, Ada Bristol, a pretty fifteen-year-old girl. Major Larned thinks that the young people are in love and want to get married. To head them off he filed his notice with the Register. He wants to get hold of young Hart, but doesn't know just where to find him. He visited the Chief of Police, but that official was unable to do anything to help the anxious guardian.

Unknown Fate of the Undaunted.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—There is increased anxiety for the safety of the American ship Undaunted, that left this port for Philadelphia, last Friday. A tug-boat reported at Delaware breakwater that, during the storm she had to cut off and let the ship go when twelve miles southeast of Absecomb Light. Since then nothing has been heard from her. Besides Captain Hamilton and his family there were on board; Harry Long, a Pennsylvania pilot and ten riggers from New York. The regular crew had not been shipped.

Roasted the Baby.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 14.—A horrible story comes from Wellingford. Reports say that a colored woman living near Pond Mill, wishing to call her husband, closed her baby up in the oven to keep it warm, the fire being barely out. While she was away her husband came home, and, unaware of the whereabouts of the child, built a hot fire. The woman noticed smoke coming from the chimney and hurried home, but arrived too late, as the child was found literally roasted.

Mexican Train Wrecked.

PIEDRAS, Mex., (via Galveston) Jan. 14.—A train conveying a military company was completely wrecked last night at Valdiva. Thirty soldiers, including eleven officers, were killed.

Fatal Fire.

SALINAS, Cal., Jan. 14.—At 5 o'clock this evening the house of Mr. McGuire at Soledad was burned to the ground, and his child, thirteen months old, was burned to death. Mrs. McGuire was visiting a neighbor's house at the time, and it is not known how the fire originated.

CONGRESS.

The Solons Still Harping on My Dollar,

AND THE ARGUMENT ALL ONE WAY.

Senator Beck Shows Up the Logrolling of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Mr. Brown called up Mr. Beck's silver resolution. The officers of the Treasury, Mr. Brown said, should treat all public creditors alike. If they paid bondholders in gold alone, they should pay the laborer in gold alone. Although the bondholders had expressly agreed to take payment in either gold or silver, they were being paid in gold alone, while everybody else was paid in silver. This was neither fair dealing nor common honesty. "If the National Banks attempt to practically demonetize silver," said Mr. Brown, in conclusion, "and if the officials who now represent the people in the different departments of the Government will not take the matter in hand, then the people, at their recurring elections, should take it in hand, and fill all the departments of the Government with men who will apply the corrective and forfeit the charters of such banks as abuse their privileges."

Mr. Maxey followed on the same subject. The silver advocates, he contended, repelled the imputation that they wanted to take any advantage of their creditors by paying a dollar debt in an 80 cent dollar. A louder lie had never been uttered against a brave and industrious people. The people knew that the fall of silver was the result of a conspiracy of combined capital to destroy silver as a money metal, and the gamblers were but reaping the fruits of their own folly. The suspension of silver coinage was but another name for a total stoppage of coinage, and such suspension or stoppage would be fraught with most serious consequences to the people.

Mr. Beck said there had come to him (he did know why) several petitions to be presented to the Senate, urging Congress to suspend silver coinage. He had declined to present such petitions and had returned them to the persons sending them to him. He had ignored that course because he believed the sending of such petitions was influenced by a circular letter marked "confidential," sent out by a committee of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation. Mr. Beck read a copy of the letter. It asks its recipient to write a personal letter to Speaker Carlisle, urging him to refrain from placing a free silver bill on the Coinage Committee of the House of Representatives; and also to write personal letters to Senators and Representatives, urging the suspension of silver coinage.

WASHINGTON.

The President May Not Give All the Reasons.

WASHINGTON, Thursday, Jan. 14.—The statement that President Cleveland has determined that no answers shall be given to requests from the Senate, for information as to the reasons for removals or suspensions, is unofficially denied. No such request has been addressed to the President by the Senate. Several communications were sent to the chairmen of Senate committees to-day from the various Executive Departments, couched in substantially the following form:

——— DEPARTMENT, }
WASHINGTON, Jan. 14, 1886. }

Hon. ———, Chairman Committee on ———, U. S. Senate—SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your communication of ———, calling for information as to the reasons for the suspension, or removal of ——— and the appointment of ——— as ———, and in response I have the honor to forward herewith information in my custody concerning the appointment of ———. I have no information as to the President's reason for the suspension, or removal of Mr. ———.

Very Respectfully,

———, Secretary.

The papers thus transmitted relate solely to the fitness of the appointee, and say nothing about the character or qualifications of the officials displaced. The matter has not been raised with the President on this subject. It is further understood that the President as yet has neither expressed nor formed any determination as to what he will do in case the possible issue is raised.

THE STATE DINNER.

The President gave the first state dinner of the season this evening, to the members of his Cabinet. The White House was tastefully arranged for the occasion, and presented a brilliant appearance.

NOT LEGALLY SUSPENDED.

Some time ago the case of Mr. Kent, nominated to be Naval Officer at Boston, was referred to Mr. Frye as a subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Commerce, to report whether Daniel Hall, his predecessor, had been legally suspended. Hall having received no official notice of his suspension. Frye finds that there must be legal and actual notice of suspension served upon an officer who is to be removed; that actual and legal notice was never served upon Hall, and that his surrender of the office under protest was not a resignation or abandonment and that he is still *de jure* Naval Officer. The conclusion is that the President should be requested to withdraw the present nomination and renominate Mr. Kent in place of Mr. Hall, removed and not suspended. The facts in the case apply to a number of customs officers.

THE FATAL COLD.

Eighteen Human Lives Lost in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan 14.—The Journal's Topeka, Kan., special says: The full extent of the disastrous effects of the late storm in western Kansas is just becoming known, as reports arrive from relief parties and others. The death-roll of victims, known and unknown, numbers eighteen, while half a dozen other persons are known to be missing. The dead as reported are M. F. Israel and an unknown man, Syracuse, Hamilton county; Mr. Ford in Finney county; S. Higgs, near Kendall; two Beecher girls and George Chapman, of Syracuse; Isaac Staff, of Windom; a mother and two children near Garden City, and the father is also missing; two women in Seward county; two brothers in Ford county; two unknown men in Ellis county, and a man in Lincoln county. Three deaths occurred in sparsely settled border counties in the southwestern and western parts of the State, where communication is extremely difficult. It is feared that further reports will increase still more the list of fatalities. The loss in cattle is also considered very heavy.

A MORMON TRICK.

It is Thought They Wish to Obtain Arms for the Indians.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 14.—The Chronicle's El Paso, Texas, special says the Mormons of Pima, Arizona, have requested Governor Zulick to supply them with arms to protect themselves from Apaches. This action on the part of the Mormons is causing much comment, as it is well known to local inhabitants that they have always been friendly to the Apaches, having frequently supplied them with food, horses and arms. It is believed that the hostiles need arms, and the Mormons will give those furnished them to the Indians if the Governor complies with their request.

Report of an Indian Fight.

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 14.—Lord Delaval Beresford, the English nobleman who superintends the San Domingo ranch in the State of Chihuahua, Mex., arrived here to-day. He states that before he left, reports reached the ranch that an engagement took place between government scouts and hostile Indians near Casas Grands, and six scouts were killed.

SAMOA.

An Inside View of the German Intrigue on the Islands.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The reported seizure of the Samoan Islands by Germany continues to be the subject of great interest, both in the East and in this city. Telegrams received here tend to confirm the report.

Rev. J. H. Davis, who recently returned from the islands, said in an interview, that last spring vice-King Tamasese, and a few dissatisfied chiefs, brought about a revolution against King Malietoa. Tamasese and his followers were secretly encouraged by the German consul at Apia. It appeared for the time that the revolutionists would be successful, and preparations were made for a public coronation of Tamasese, the American, English and German consuls being requested to attend. The revolution, however, mildly diminished its proportions until it died away, and Malietoa held sway as before. Shortly afterwards the German Consul quarreled with Malietoa, pretending that the latter had offended his official dignity. This culminated in the Consul hoisting the German flag over his headquarters and declaring that, from that time on, it would be considered German territory and the chief seat of Consular government. King Malietoa looks upon this act as an outrage, and wrote to the Emperor of Germany about it. The English and American Consuls also protested, but vainly; and finally, to settle the matter, referred it to their respective governments. It is rumored among navy officers to-day that a United States ship has been ordered to proceed to Samoa.

ASSURANCES FROM BISMARCK.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Count Von Hatzfelt, German Ambassador, had an interview to-day with the Marquis of Salisbury, regarding the alleged seizure of Samoa by Germany. The Ambassador said he had been instructed by Prince Bismarck to assure Lord Salisbury that Germany would neither annex Samoa nor permanently interfere with the Government of the island.

DISCLAIMS ANNEXATION.

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—The accuracy of the news already published regarding Germany's seizure of the Samoan Islands is not acknowledged in official circles. A statement is officially given out that the German government has no intention of annexing the Samoan Islands. The incidents reported in the news dispatches are explained, according to this statement, as referring to measures adopted by the German authorities to prevent King Malietoa from carrying out his illegal attempt to withdraw the guarantees he had given for the protection of German interests and rights. It is positively asserted that nothing can have occurred which will in any wise affect existing treaties between the Samoan government and Germany, England or America.

PARIS.

A Prefect Murdered on a Train—Political Amnesty.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—The Prefect of the Department of Eure was assassinated in a railway carriage and his body thrown from the train while it was in motion. It is supposed that the motive for the murder was robbery.

President Grevy has signed a decree granting amnesty to persons convicted of political offenses since 1870, and reducing the sentence of many offenders against the common law.

The name of the murdered prefect was M. Barrème. He came to Paris to receive instructions from M. Sarrien, the new Minister of the Interior, and was returning to Bernu, capital of the department of Eure, when he was assassinated. The corpse was found with the eyes bandaged and the skull smashed in. The body lay between the rails on the bridge, and it is evident that the murderers intended to throw it into the Seine. M. Barreme's pocket-book, loose money and watch were gone. A number of the most experienced detectives in Paris have been detailed to work up the case, but their search, so far, has developed no clue, except that, just prior to starting the train, a gentleman inquired of the guards whether M. Barreme was aboard. On being answered in the affirmative he purchased a ticket and boarded the same train. M. Barreme was the father of a large family, and was an excellent administrator. Various members of the Government have sent dispatches of condolence to his widow. The murder is the sole topic to-day. It is now known that the prefect had a large sum of money in his possession. It is supposed that the murderers were disturbed in their operation of rifling the clothes of the dead, and overlooked a pocket containing the money. The doctor who examined the body expresses the opinion that M. Barreme was murdered with a bludgeon, and that the first blow killed him.

SAN FRANCISCO.

A Four Hundred Million Dollar Land Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—John K. Moore has instituted suit demanding a return to him of land worth over a hundred million dollars, and asks for judgment against defendants for an additional $300,000,000, claimed as income from said land. The tract claimed embraces over 160 acres of land, and includes Black Point Military Reservation, the New City Hall, and a portion of Golden Gate Park.

The plaintiff claims title through a Mexican grant made to Fernando Marchine, which was purchased by him. The court is also asked to decree that the city, under the various acts of Congress and the Legislature, has merely been the trustee of Marchine, and that the present owners of the property and the city be compelled to make restitution.

GARLAND NOT RETAINED.

A dispatch received from Sacramento from Governor Stoneman denies that Attorney General Garland has been retained in the railroad taxes cases in the United States Supreme Court, and says that no communication whatever has been had with him on the subject.

CHICAGO SQUALISTS.

How They are Preparing to Blow Up the City.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—A sensational report is published by a city paper, giving its investigation of Socialistic doings here. The Socialistic Brotherhood has the advantage of possessing an organ printed in the German language, which, week after week, disseminates incendiary ideas, while from its job press go circulars, maps, etc., describing streets, sewers and tunnels of the city, and giving instructions in street warfare and in the practical use of explosives. Socialist leaders claim that they have established depots for storing various bombs, and that they have lists of prominent persons to be disposed of by dynamite. They further claim that every Sunday morning for a year bands of Socialists have been going to the country to practice the throwing of bombs, and that tests of their effectiveness and manner of explosion have been frequently made.

Want a Breakwater at Fort Hartford.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Jan. 14.—Citizens of this county, representing $5,000,000 in wealth, have petitioned Congress to grant an appropriation for a breakwater for Fort Hartford. The petition will be forwarded to-day to Congressman Markham and other California delegates to Congress. This is the third effort of the citizens in this matter They expect this one to be crowned with success.

Emperor William Salubrious.

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—Emperor William opened the Prussian Diet to-day. In his speech His Megesty said: "I am grateful for the love and fidelity of my people, and for the benevolent sympathy which has been extended to me from foreign countries. Our foreign relations are friendly and support fully our belief that the peace of Europe is sure to continue."

A Royal Oratorio.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The Queen has commanded the production of Gounod's oratorio *Mors et Vita* at the Royal Albert Hall. Her Majesty will come from Windsor to attend the performance. This will be the Queen's first appearance in public in many years.

SILVER.

Senator Stanford May Speak About it—India's Silver Coinage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The Chronicle's Washington special says: "Senator Stanford said that he was certain nothing would be done in the way of financial legislation this winter. He was asked if he intended making any speech during the coming financial debates. He said he might, and added that he would like to make a plain business-like talk unless he found his ideas fully expressed by other Senators. He gave an illustration how he cornered a prominent gold Senator yesterday afternoon. He was criticising Stanford for his advocacy of the eighty-cent silver dollar. To this Mr. Stanford replied, as he took a silver dollar from his pocket. "I have a proposition to make you. You say this dollar is worth only eighty cents. I will give you 99½ cents each for 100,000 of them. If this dollar is worth only eighty cents you will have a splendid opportunity to make $19,500 by accepting my proposition."

INDIA'S COINAGE.

The Call's New York special says: "William Henry Hurlburt, quoting from a correspondent at Bombay, a native financier of the first rank, gives tabulated returns of the silver coinage of India. In 1841, when the British Indian empire embraced 618,000 square miles of territory, the Indian mints coined £2,844,894; in 1852 with 776,000 square miles they coined £4,240,496. During the two years of the great mutiny, 1857 and 1858, with 856,000 square miles, they coined £10,779,203, and £12,551,402. Under the impulse given by our civil war to cotton productions of India, Indian silver coinage went up in 1866 to £14,507,049. This was surpassed in 1878, the year of the last great famine, when, with an area of 860,000 square miles, British India coined £16,180,326 of silver. In 1880, the year of the last Afghanistan war, the silver coinage of India reached £10,256,267. But it fell in 1882 to £1,556,275, and it is perhaps worth noting that in 1881 that amount was nearly reached in England, which, in that year silver being legal tender only for sums less than £17, coined no less than £907,128 of silver. In 1884 India coined £663,401 of silver, and monometallic England in 1883 coined £1,274,-938 of the same metal, against no more than £1,403,713 of gold.

THAWING FLORIDA.

Surveying the Damage Resulting from the Late Freeze.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 14.—The weather has moderated considerably during the day, and now has returned almost to its normal temperature. Dispatches from all parts state the belief that the wave carried frost to almost the extreme southern end of the peninsula, and there is little doubt that the entire orange crop remaining on the trees is frozen and spoiled. Precisely the effect of the freeze up on orange trees cannot be determined until warm weather sets in. Probably every tree in the State will lose its leaves, and the belief is that most young trees, except where protected, are killed. The opinion now prevails that old and mature trees, which have been relied on for producing the marketable crop of oranges, are not seriously hurt, and will not be unless exposed to warm sunshine within the next few days. It is estimated that 500,000 boxes of oranges, worth a million dollars, were destroyed by the freeze.

CIGARMAKERS.

The New York Strike Precipitated —Conference Arranged.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—At the order of the Cigarmakers' International Union, 500 men went on a strike to-day, in the factory of Levy Brothers. The trouble that led to this action was the adoption of what the cigar manufacturers consider to be a uniform rate of prices, and with which employés in factories controlled by the association are dissatisfied. The Union ordered Levy Bros.' employés to strike, as a test case. To-morrow morning a conference is to be held between a committee of the strikers and one from the Manufacturers' Association, with a view to settling the matter.

THE PROGRESSIVE UNION.

The Progressive Cigar Makers' Union to-night decided to call out its men employed in the shops of Brown & Harle to-morrow. This move is made to evidence harmony of purpose with the International Union.

DESPERATE IRISH.

They Will Have Bread by Force If Longer Denied It.

DUBLIN, Jan. 14.—The state of desperation, into which many of the Irish laboring people have been thrown by long continued privations, was illustrated by an occurrence at Lismore, (County Waterford) Board of Guardians. The Lismore Poor Law Union was holding its weekly meeting, when a crowd of laborers burst into the room and in menacing language demanded assistance for themselves and their families. They threatened that, unless help was soon forthcoming, they would plunder the neighboring farms in order to obtain means of subsistence.

ARCHBISHOP WALSH.

LONDON, January 14.—Archbishop Walsh, in an address at Dublin to-day, said that Mr. Parnell hoped to obtain a settlement of the Irish question from Gladstone. The Speaker trusted that the hope would be realized, and that no longer should be witnessed the spectacle of desperate men despairing of securing freedom by constitutional means, having recourse to dynamite and the dagger of the assassin.

The Daily News says there are rumors that the Government meditates a *coup d' etat* in Ireland, and that, among the changes contemplated, is the appointment of General Viscount Wolseley to be commander of the military forces there.

A WATER FAMINE.

The Peculiar Pilight in Which Cleveland Finds Herself.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 14.—There is imminent danger of a water famine here. At 12 o'clock last night it was found necessary to shut down one of the pumps on account of ice, and another was compelled to stop this morning at daylight because of the same reason. The two remaining pumps are working about one-half their capacity. They furnish about one-fourth of the average supply per day. Residences on a number of streets were cut off from the mains this afternoon, and an effort will be made to save what water is now pumped. The engineer thinks, with great care the supply may be sufficient for ordinary circumstances, but, should a fire occur, the city would be in a sorry plight. A force of men has been sent out to the crib, but the engineer thinks nothing can be accomplished until the weather moderates.

The Mono Bank Fails.

BODIE, Cal., Jan. 14.—The following notice was posted on the Mono County Bank doors this morning: "The Mono County Bank is compelled to suspend temporarily. O. F. Hakes has charge of the same, pending the wish of the creditors. H. F. Hastings, Cashier." Upon inquiry it was ascertained that the principal cause was that a draft, made by the bank on the Anglo California Bank of San Francisco, had been protested. Mr. Barton, one of the heaviest stockholders, is expected to arrive Saturday. It is believed he will settle all claims in full. The last semi-annual statement showed $43,000 liabilities and assets for the same amount, of which $17,000 were loans on stocks and bonds."

The Grant Monument Association Incorporated.

ALBANY, Jan. 14.—In the Assembly to-day a bill incorporating the Grant Monument Association, and empowering it to hold seven million dollars' worth of property free of taxation, was passed and sent to the Senate.

Says It's an Easy Job.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—De Lesseps will remain a fortnight at Panama. He declares that the task there is far easier than was the construction of the Suez Canal. He says the Panama Canal will be completed at the end of 1888.

VOLCANOES

Give Some Mexican Towns a Shaking Up.

THE CITY OF AMATILLAN DESTROYED.

A Place that Has Had a Hard Experience—Colopaxi Supposed to Have Broken Forth Again.

Associated Press Dispatches to the Times.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Mail advices from Panama of the fifth inst., contain the following: At 2 o'clock on the morning of December 18th the Spanish city of Amatillan, a town of 5,000 inhabitants, situated twenty-five miles south of Guatemala was awakened by frequent shocks of earthquake which continued all day, until 5:32 p. m., when a very heavy shock was felt, and at 5:36 p. m. the heaviest shock came, throwing down many walls and houses already fissured by the early shocks. People were thrown down. The air was filled with dust from fallen houses. Shock followed upon schock and frightened people rushed to the large plaza in front of the church of San Juan and dragged the image of their guardian saint outside the walls of the church, and erected an impromptu shrine in the middle of the square, before which all prostrated themselves. One hundred and thirty-one schocks were felt the first day, principally from east to west, eighty-one of which occurred between 4 and 5:36 p. m. The second day was nearly as bad, and the shocks continued for some days subsequently. Amatillan was destroyed by earthquakes in 1830, which lasted from April 21 to May 3. In 1846 it was overflowed by rising waters of the lake, and again in October, 1852, when water gushed up in the middle of the streets. Eight days afterwards, when the waters had subsided, dead fish were found everywhere. The water became unfit to drink, and many persons died of fevers. Then again it was destroyed by earthquakes in 1862. Lake Amatillan is supposed to be the crater of an extinct volcano. An adjacent volcano, until recently quiet, seems to be seeking a new outlet through a hill lying back of the lake in which the volcano.

The volcanoes of Fuego, in Guatemala, and Izalco, in Salvador, not far away, which have long served as safety valves for these restless regions, seem to have become stopped up, causing much alarm to the people of Salvador, who say that there was a precisely similar occurrence before their last great earthquake in 1873.

COTOPAXI BELCHING.

GUATAQUIL, (via Galveston), Jan. 14.—Serious volcanic disturbances have occurred within the last few days. There have been at different places showers of earth and ashes, accompanied by loud rumblings. Cotopaxi's volcano is supposed to be in eruption. The rest of the mountain is unknown, owing to misconception of the government telegraph lines. Slight shocks of earthquake have also been felt.

THE ARROW DISTRICT.

The Story of its First Discovery.

The liveliest mining camp in the State just now is doubtless that at Providence, in the Mojave desert, about 22 miles northeast of Fenner, a station on the A. and P. R. R. Providence is an old camp for the des

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ENLARGED SHEET

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The Donavin Letter, and the "Kids" of Ohio.

The barefaced frauds and corruption of the "Kid" faction of the Democratic party in Ohio seem at last to be about to be exposed. The exposure will doubtless be a nasty revelation of degraded human nature; but, as the New York Herald reflects, "the widest publicity can do no harm, but only good."

The "Kid" faction is led by the younger men of the party, its acknowledged chief being McLean, of the Enquirer. In order to gain ascendancy, it was necessary for the "Kids" to dispose of Ward, Pendleton, Thurman and others who had borne the brunt of many party fights, and who had the confidence of the masses. One after another these men were driven to retirement, Thurman, "the Old Roman," being shelved two years ago by the election of "Papa Payne" to the Senate. Payne had been in Congress, but was inconspicuous except for his connection, through his son Oliver, with the Standard Oil Company, one of the most hated corporations and monopolies in the Middle States. After the election, which it was charged at the time had been corrupt, the Legislature became known as "the Coal-Oil Legislature." Threats were made at the time that there would be an exposure, but nothing ever came of them; and the "Kid" faction grew bolder, carrying their methods into the last October election at Cincinnati, where the undisguised forgeries and frauds equaled Tweed's brilliant feats. They also insisted on controlling the appointments for the State, ignoring the "Mossbacks," as the other faction delights to call itself. Apparently the latter were not able to convince Mr. Cleveland of their claims, and the matter has culminated in an open declaration of war, which the "Mossbacks" will carry on in the Senate, in an attempt to show that various of the appointees are conspicuously unfit for he positions they hold, and that the Senate should not confirm them. Should they make good their claims, "Papa" Payne will lose caste with the President, as the appointees are his. The "Mossbacks" will secure the appointments, and the back of the "Kid" power will be broken.

As the first step of this plan, a well-known Democrat of the State, Col. S. K. Donavin, has addressed Senator Payne an open letter, which Eastern papers have given a wide circulation, and which will be followed by others. The New York Herald thinks this letter may be the beginning of a very grave political event.

The letter is quite lengthy, and we give only enough to show its character and the charges it makes. After speaking of the dignity of the Senatorial office, Col. Donavin says (the italics being ours):

"It is a singular fact in the history of the State of Ohio that they who have filled this honorable position, with one exception, have been men eminently fitted for it, and, what is still more a matter of congratulation, were elected without corruption. This last exception comes to meet an issue which I intended to raise.

"You, sir, are the exception. *The place you fill was filled honorably nor honestly attained.* In truth, sir, unfortunately for you, and still more so for the State of Ohio, you are filling a place from which honor would stand aghast were it asked to assume it."

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"A few weeks before the Legislature convened a number of men, *whose names I will give you when you ask for them*, made mysterious visits through the State. *The purpose of their visits was to corrupt the men who had been elected Democratic members of the Legislature. They succeeded.* In the early days of the week, immediately preceding the meeting of the Legislature, certain gentlemen presented themselves at the Neil House, in the city of Columbus, professing to be your friends. To your credit, sir, you were not present; but your close intimates were. Your son, Colonel Oliver, was there; Colonel Thompson and John Huntington were there. These gentlemen are, or were at the time connected with a corporation known as the 'Standard Oil Company.'

"Your campaign, as conducted by your son and his intimates, presented a startling exhibition. Every essential to a great contest for such a great honor was absent, except one. Only quality present was money. That quality your friends exhibited in the most lavish profusion."

Leaving this subject, he touches the Senator up as follows upon his former congressional campaign:

"Will you pardon a diversion? I have in my mind's eye two campaigns which were made for Congress in the State of Ohio. One was made by a young Democrat named Thurman, in what was known as the Chillicothe District. That campaign cost less than $300. The other campaign took place in later years in a district in the northern part of the State. If your memory is not dulled by years you will remember it. I do not think that you made any expenditure in the canvas. But he who was the candidate of the Democratic party had sons, and they were rich in themselves and for their ancestors, father. It would surprise you were I to tell you of the fabulous sums that were spent to secure the triumph of the latter. In extremely vulgar parlance, 'the old man got there' after an expenditure of money which, compared to that of which I have spoken, was as the mighty river to the rivulet."

The contrast between the public services of Thurman and Payne is recited in scathing language; and he finally suggests a comparison between him and his colleague in the Senate, Mr. Sherman, who, despite Democratic frauds, has just been triumphantly re-elected for another term:

"Some are comparing your relations to the State with that of John Sherman. This is unfair to you, and, therefore, I have most earnestly protested against it. Mr. Sherman has had such large opportunities. Keen in his appreciation of them, and, no doubt, eagerly anxious to serve his country, he has taken advantage of them. It would be unjust to you to compare you with a man who has indelibly impressed himself on the domestic policy of this country."

It is thought at Washington that the charges of so grave a character, and so direct, must lead to an investigation by the Senate. But whether they do or not, the power of this corrupt faction in Ohio seems to be toppling. Thurman received the complimentary vote of the Democratic caucus for the Senate; and apparently Mr. McLean was dropped by the Legislature he had elected to choose himself. And to crown all, the Democrats of the Ohio Senate are considering whether it would not be a politic act to oust the Cincinnati Senators and seat their Republican contestants, thus repudiating entirely McLean and the shameful frauds of October.

Progress.

There has been some complaint among our residents about the cold weather that Los Angeles has experienced within the past few weeks. Our nights and mornings have been decidedly cool, and heavy wraps have been in demand. But notwithstanding the unusually low temperature, our citrus fruits have escaped damage, and even the sensitive banana shows no signs of injury.

The temperature throughout the country has fallen remarkably low. Nature in some sections of the South has been guilty of unheard-of freaks, and has really seemed in a disordered condition. We certainly have no reason for complaint, for all conditions are favorable for a year of unparalleled prosperity throughout this section. We look to see Southern California take a long leap forward during the next twelve months. Nothing exists to block the wheels of progress in our midst. The rains have come opportunely—the best conditions exist for crops; capital is pouring in and seeking investment; new industries are being created, and a sense of hopefulness and security exists that is cheering to the man of business in every department of labor. Unremitted growth is the order of business in this part of the State for the present and the future.

WASHINGTON.

How Statesmen Manufacture Capital for Themselves.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—It is asserted here now that the changes in the rules of the House of Representatives will not result in increased appropriations, although the general impression is to the contrary. As a matter of fact, a division of responsibility in legislation results in increased expenditures, and so far there does not seem to be any good ground for supposing that there will be any deviation from this rule as far as Congress is concerned. The changes in the rules are somewhat in the nature of an experiment, but about everybody now says that they will probably work smoother and better than the old code. Now that the committees have been appointed, there is nothing left for Congress to do but to settle right down to hard work. It will not be many weeks before there will be the usual talk about a short session. The Chairmen of the committees having the appropriation bills in charge have come to the front and gravely announce the "old and wormy chestnut" that Congress will be ready to adjourn not later than the 1st of June. Those who are familiar with the situation are of the opinion that the long session could just as well be curtailed into five months as to run for a longer period. Of course, the growing business of the country at large takes more and more of the time of the national legislature, but this is by no means the reason why our lawmakers sit month in and month out and make such little progress. If the Congressional Record could be abolished the sessions of Congress would be shortened one-third, and about as much work would be accomplished as is done now. But the members are very tenacious of their right "to appeal to the Record," when there is not one of them but who knows that that fearfully and wonderfully made periodical is falsified a hundred or more times in each and every issue. If the Record were a careful and accurate report of the proceedings of Congress, it could not be said that it is the one great obstacle to short sessions. Members would be more careful and would prepare their speeches with greater deliberation than they do now. At present, if two men get into a wrangle and both make exhibitions of ill-temper which they regret in cooler moments, they have it expunged. The fact that each member knows he can change the record of the actual proceedings of Congress, without any restraint being set upon his power to do so in this direction is the one fact which is the cause of all these disgraceful affairs. When a member of Congress can correct a blunder, which, perhaps, he has made with a deliberate intent, but with a lack of foresight, and then can make the official record say directly the opposite to what it is, there is no limit to the deception which he can practice upon his constituents and the country at large. So great has this evil grown, and so pernicious has it become, that there are numerous instances on hand where members have not only changed their own language, but that of others who took part in the debate so as to make it represent what they would, if session of Congress, resolutions are introduced prohibiting changes from what was actually said in debate, but they are strangled with a celerity that is not only surprising but humiliating as well. Both Senators and Representatives who are full of other kinds of reform clean to the muzzle look heavenward with a hypercritical smile when these resolutions come up, and sit down on them with promptness and firmness. The record of the debates of Congress are simply a useless mass of worthless trash. Speeches which were never heard in the halls of national legislation are there displayed in full. Other speeches which might throw light upon some important historical event, but which at the time members afterward thought were delivered at inopportune moments, are absent. In the cross fire of a running debate the changes are even more startling. Then again it is amusing to note the manner in which some of the speeches are set forth in the "Record." The favorite place for a speech is on the front page of the Record. Three or four scare head-lines and a verse or two of poetry, or a quotation from Shakespeare, is the favorite style of attracting attention to the address. So great is the pressure for this front page that members frequently hold back their speeches for days so that they shall appear in a conspicuous place. Thus it happens that the first two or three pages of today's Record will probably contain a speech delivered a week or two ago. There are scores of instances at every session of Congress where members send out printed portions of the Record to their constituents containing speeches which were never delivered, but which look as though the words "applause," "great applause," "sensation," "hear, hear," "laughter," etc., had been sprinkled in with a pepper-box. It is understood that an attempt will be made to correct this growing abuse during the present session of Congress, but it will probably fail. The great difficulty is that there are so many members who could not possibly make any showing to their constituents unless some such vent was left for their unexploded eloquence. An amusing incident happened in the last Congress. A certain Eastern representative who has heard nothing less loud than the discharge of a pack of artillery for the last twenty years, and who always speaks in a tone a trifle above a whisper, arose and read a long-studied oration. Men who were sitting beside him hadn't the slightest idea of what he was saying, but he went on nevertheless, and "orated" with the most impressive gestures for over an hour. Then he sat down and got his manuscript to the official reporters. As it appeared in the Record, one would have thought that the speech caused the greatest enthusiasm of any which had been delivered in Congress since Webster's reply to Hayne. As the types made it appear, the entire House of Representatives literally rose up to him and crowned him the modern Demosthenes. If the effort to put an end to this deception and abuse meets with success, it will be the most practical reform which Congress can possibly make.

A certain fashionable mamma said the other day: "This is the era of the reign of the blonde. Brunettes are pretty, of course, but the correct thing now for ladies is to have light hair. Wear wigs? Why, no, bless you. There is no need of that. I can tell you how it is done, because all the young ladies whose hair is not light enough, are doing it every day. The secret is in the application of a wash made from salts of tartar. At first it will turn black hair a sort of a chestnut, gradually it will get lighter and lighter, until finally it comes out a beautiful golden. Hair colored by the application of salts of tartar can be detected a square away by any woman. It makes the hair harsh and brittle, but the girls think it is the proper caper, and of course that settles it. The girl with natural blonde hair which looks as though it had spun gold run through it, can flatter herself that she is the envy of any woman who knows anything, and who has any respect whatever for the iron rule of sweet fashion."

The proposed bureau changes in the Navy Department, which come under the plan contemplated by Secretary Whitney, are being discussed with more than the customary vigor by the "old salts" who are temporarily away from the "briny." Secretary Whitney is said to be in favor of reducing the number of bureaus to three, and so far, the naval officers here are about evenly divided as to its effect upon the service. All of the bureau jobbers, their friends, and their friends' friends are looking with disfavor upon the subject. The remainder of the officers who are not having quite such a good time, are, figuratively speaking, slapping the Secretary on the back, and telling him to go ahead full steam. If any change is to be made the vast majority of the officers think that the bureau of Naval Intelligence shall be relegated to the shades of oblivion.

As at present constituted, the Bureau of Naval Intelligence appears to be composed of a minimum of young naval officers, who can dance the German and tell tales out of school with a minimum of real intellectuality. The bureau was originally started for the collection and dissemination of information of interest to the service. Now the old sea dogs say that it is a sort of detective agency, where the spies and informers have their headquarters. No bureau of the department is one-tenth as unpopular as this one, and if the Secretary decides to abolish it, he can rest assured that it will meet with the heartiest good-will of the vast body of the officers of the navy. C. F. T.

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Recitation—"Temperance Boots".....
.....Master Eddie Baxter
Recitation—"Sacramental Wine".....
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Cornet Solo.....Norman Martin
Dialogue—"Charley's Ways".....
Lizzie Mayer, Mary Scobie, Prof. Gleason, Willie Baker
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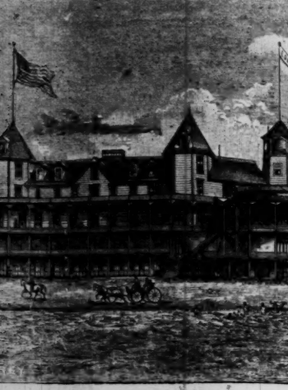

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Stocks were active, weak in the morning and strong thereafter. Dealings at first were somewhat irregular by considerable pressure, accompanied by unfavorable rumors. Up in the close of the Board in the afternoon was known in regard to the final adjustment between the trunk lines of the differences caused by the traffic in differential rates, which were responsible for the recent weakness that had been made to the Boston, Pool, but rumors had been made to the Boston, Pool, but rumors had been made to the Boston, Pool, but rumors

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The streets have never been in as bad condition as they are at present. They are full of holes and ruts, and travel with a team is nothing but condensed misery. Police Officer Jackson's $200 horse stepped into a hole on Aliso street and broke his leg last Monday night. The animal had to be killed.

PERSONAL NOTES.

E. L. McClure of San Francisco is at the Depot Hotel.

Mrs. F. D. Mott is a passenger by today's San Francisco express.

H. J. Budisill, a prominent citizen of Riverside, is in the city.

Geo. Smith of San José has located here, and will open a candy manufactory next week.

S. C. Hall, a prominent lumber manufacturer of Bangor, Me., is visiting this city, and stopping with E. J. Hodgkins.

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Wm. M. Edwardy has been dispatched to Los Angeles by the San Francisco Call as a special representative of that paper, and will remain here some time.

The wife and children of Senator John P. Jones started East from here yesterday, the Senator having preached them on Tuesday to look after certain mining interests.

At the St. Charles: F. J. Giesing, San Diego; Grant Printz, Jamul; T. Bell, San Bernardino; F. Reynolds, L. Booth, Mrs. L. Hurst, San Francisco; D. M. Mover, Pinnate, Minn.; F. F. Kinnell, Orange; S. M. Mathews, Eureka; A. Gadwell and wife, Petalums; W. J. Watters, Mrs. Watters, Pittsburg, Pa.; Emil Myers, New York.

At the St. Elmo: S. Scelig, San Francisco; H. Warrington, Chicago, Ills.; C. H. Reddish, San Francisco; George W. Nobles, San Francisco; J. L. Graf and wife, San Francisco; Sam Bagnell, Riverside; H. J. Budisell, Riverside; D. T. White, Tombstone; Wm. H. Locke, San Francisco; F. H. Wiswell, Chicago, Ill.; F. J. Byone, Tustin; Frank Wentworth, Chicago; D. C. Halsey and wife, Sacramento; Thomas Keogh, San Francisco; Wm. M. Griffin, San Francisco; Mrs. Hancock La Brea; N. Cahen and wife, San Francisco; B. R. Boynton, Newhall; Cal.; Samuel Keefer, New York; W. N. Monroe, Monrovia; Wm. Banning, Wilmington; C. B. Banning, Wilmington; Charles T. Parsons, San Diego; C. Howe, Pomona; Dr. D. G. Kellogg, San Gabriel; E. L. Van Buskirk, Constantinople; Miss Lulu Beattie, Anaheim; Samuel E. Rose, Norwalk.

BRIEFS.

The Supervisors have adjourned to January 25th.

The Los Angeles sails north to-day, touching at all way-ports.

Two deaths in the city yesterday. None reported from the country.

Justice Austin yesterday gave Joseph Fisher thirty days for petit larceny.

Work progresses rapidly on the extension of the Hellman-street car line.

The "Ladies Night" of the Los Angeles Athletic Club will be a strong attraction this evening.

The patent-medicine-free-concert fakir, the lung-tester and the ladder man continue to draw good audiences.

Theo. Summerland has got out a neat memorandum book in place of the time-honored insurance almanac.

John Nordholt, the dangerous crank committed to Stockton, will go north to-day in charge of Capt. P. M. Darcy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were fined $25 each yesterday for battery, and on another charge Mrs. Mills was fined $25 more.

The work of fitting up the fire-engine room in the city building for offices of the City Auditor and City Tax Collector, goes on apace.

A front elevation of the new county jail, after John Hall's accepted plans, is exhibited in the window of C. F. Heinzeman's drug store.

Constable Haber yesterday pounced down on Nigger alley and in a garret captured Yip Ah Dick, a celestial who robbed his employer in San Bernardino of $200. Sheriff Gill's deputy came after him last night.

The meeting to elect officers so that the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals can get to work will be held in Bryson Hall, at 3:30 this afternoon. All members, old and new, should be present in person or by proxy.

Baldwin's Burglars.

On Tuesday night burglars entered E. J. Baldwin's store at Santa Anita and got away with a large quantity of goods. Their loot comprised a large number of blue woolen shirts, some chaviot shirts, a few bolts of calico, some red bed-comforts, about 1000 cigars, a large lot of plug and "Climax" tobacco, and several pairs of strong, high-heeled working boots. A reward of $250 is offered.

Another Big Auction Sale.

The Los Angeles Improvement Company hold another grand auction sale of choice lots on the cable road on January 23. It is said that Mary's little lamb is in training once more, and the public will soon hear from her again. (From the lamb not Mary.)

BALDWIN VS. BELL.

Four Libel Suits Against the Redoubtable Horace

BY LUCKY. YCLEPT "BEAST" BALDWIN.

The Obnoxious Comments Which Grieve Baldwin's Heart and Make Him Ask for $20,000 as a Salver.

Four formidable-looking legal documents, printed with a type-writer and wrapped in blue-tinted jackets, were filed with the County Clerk yesterday. They are complaints in four actions for libel, brought by E. J. Baldwin against Major Horace Bell of The Porcupine, alleging damages in the sum of $5,000 in each. The first libel charged is specified in the following instrument:

In the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

E. J. Baldwin, plaintiff, vs. Horace Bell, defendant—complaint.

The plaintiff complains and alleges:

First—That, at the time hereinafter mentioned, defendant was the editor, publisher and proprietor of The Porcupine, a newspaper published at Los Angeles city, Los Angeles county, State of California.

Second—That, on the 24th day of May, 1884, defendant maliciously composed and published, and, on October 31, 1885, republished at Los Angeles city, Los Angeles county, California, a certain article containing the false and defamatory matter following, to-wit:

From The Porcupine of May 24, 1884:

Mr. E. J. Baldwin has added two horses of blooded stock to his already fine stables. He purchased them from ex-Governor Stanford, the price being $12,000 for the two horses, who are named Sunol and Reed. The owner thinks that they were purchased cheaply.—[Pasadena paper.

As the flunkies of the press feel bound to keep the old bummer before the public, we feel constrained to chip in and do that which is most proper in the premises. It was only a few days ago that we heard of the beast's attempt to add a damsel to his stock—of his prospecting the dips, spurs, angles, variations, veins, sinuosities, rights, titles, franchises, prerogatives and assessments of a thirteen-year-old virgin, who, scandal hath it, is in the market for a sum much less than the price of a horse.

"Since writing the above we hear of Baldwin's marriage, and, of course, our remarks have no reference to that event."

Third—That, by means of said publication, the plaintiff was injured in his reputation to his damage in the sum of $5000.

Wherefore, plaintiff demands judgment against defendant for $5000 damages and costs of this suit.

WELLS, VAN DYKE & LEE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } ss.
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. }

E. J. Baldwin, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and says: That he is the plaintiff in the above entitled action; that he has read the foregoing complaint and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except those matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Signed) E. J. BALDWIN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fourteenth day of January, 1886.

C. H. DUNSMOR, County Clerk,
By L. J. THOMPSON, Deputy.

The libelous matter mentioned in the three other complaints is as follows:

THE SECOND OFFENSE.

That, on the thirty-first day of October, 1885, the defendant maliciously composed and published concerning the plaintiff in said newspaper at Los Angeles city, county and State aforesaid, a certain article containing the false and defamatory matter following, to wit:

"Beast Baldwin, surnamed 'Lucky,' is, or was a few days ago at Louisville, attending the Kentucky races. In an interview with a reporter he said he is worth $20,000,000.

"We once estimated his means at $11,000,000, and don't wonder at its being as he states. An enemy to the human race turned loose with so large a sum of money can do a vast amount of injury. Baldwin is such a character, and has specially employed the means in the seduction and ruin of poor and unprotected girls, and if every house and every room of every house owned by the beast were filled from basement to garret, they would not hold the victims; and still such a vile, beastly and harmful monster is permitted to go at large and be pandered to and pampered by representatives of the press. And to think that this most enormous, beastly, corrupt, corrupting and contaminating monster of human depravity, with whom a decent dog would feel disgraced by contact, can, with his coin, procure men in honorable standing—editors, lawyers, prayerful and seemingly Christian gentlemen—to prostrate themselves in the dust at his feet, and, like curs, lick his ulcers. Such hired servility makes one ashamed of his species.

"We are led to these remarks because of the approaching trial of the breach of promise case of Miss Louise Perkins against Beast Baldwin, in which the young lady claims $500,000 damages.

"The Beast, through his agents and attorneys, employed, and of course paid the very powerful Los Angeles Daily Herald to forestall public [opinion] against Miss Perkins, and we propose to aid in such persecution, but in a more reserved form of that intended in the employment aforesaid.

"We want to see the Beast punished by the only way such vile creatures can be, except by corporeal punishment, and to this end will devote a great deal of space in this issue of The Porcupine in the reproduction of that which we have heretofore written on the subject, and more besides."

THE THIRD OFFENSE.

That, on the 31st day of October, 1885, the defendant composed and published concerning plaintiff in said newspaper at the city of Los Angeles, county and State aforesaid, a certain article containing the false and defamatory matter following, to-wit:

"Strange it is that this vile fellow, Baldwin, who began life as a keeper of a low dive, and has grown in villainy as he has grown old and rich, has escaped the penitentiary.

"We have known of men of otherwise good characters, serve long terms in the State prison for offenses against the female chastity of far less enormity than of this beast against his own young, beautiful and talented kinswoman, Verona, and we are informed by good authority that she is not the only kinswoman he has treated in the same way, but that Verona is the only one who had the hardihood to expose him."

THE FOURTH OFFENSE.

That, on the 31st day of October, 1885, the defendant maliciously composed and published concerning plaintiff in said newspaper at Los Angeles city, county and State aforesaid, an article containing the false and defamatory matter following, to-wit:

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"There can be little doubt as to Beast Baldwin's being the author of Verona's imprisonment and the failure of the committee. He firmly believes that, should Verona ever regain her liberty, she will kill him, at which all good people would rejoice. Hence, a man backed by eleven millions can do much in the way of managing commitements and detentions in asylums, and in staving off inquiries. We have been well informed as to the circumstances surrounding the ruin of Verona Baldwin, and that she came here with the wife of her alleged beast ravisher, and that she came with the promise of a school at Santa Anita; that, in order to make her solely dependent upon him, Baldwin so controlled the school trustees as to defeat the object; and then, as Verona declares, drugged and ravished her. That, when he had tired of her, he sent her from the manorial mansion to the ranch restaurant, and gave out to his employes that she was a public woman for their accommodation, and that he actually sent his negro man, Silas, to insult her with vile proposals. This drove her forth in a strange land, friendless, penniless, homeless and ruined, and here she was supported by generous charity until her friends could be notified and take her away."

It is reported that Mrs. Dexter, one of "Lucky's" mothers-in-law, is on the warpath, threatening to make a descent on Los Angeles and shoot the offending editor. Things appear to be getting torrid.

The Union Ice Company.

This new company which has opened an office at the corner of First and Alameda streets is now building a handsome storehouse in the same locality. They will supply all summer the famous Truckee river ice. The water from the river comes directly from Lake Tahoe, and is said to be the purest water known. C. F. Lehman is the local manager, and Jacob Hoeben the general superintendent.

Good Advice.

Strangers and citizens who intend to make investments should not purchase unimproved, unproductive property. Hovey's celebrated Sierra Madre Vineyard, to be sold at auction next Tuesday in lots to suit, can be bought as cheap as unproductive land, and will pay this year $50 per acre income.

JOHN C. BELL, Auctioneer.

A Lost Cape.

Officer Penning found a fur cape (apparently red fox skin) on the Verdugo road about a mile this side of the Three Mile House yesterday afternoon. The owner can recover the property by applying at this office.

Massage.

Attention is called to the card of Carolina Stapfer, who practices the manipulation or Swedish movment cure. Her work is in entire harmony with the practice of the best physicians.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

County Bonds Reinvested—Routine Business.

THURSDAY, January 14, 1886.

Board in regular session. Present, Supervisors Macy, Foord, Ross and Findley, and the Clerk.

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board, and announced that he had received the following bid, which is duly filed:

THE BANK OF CALIFORNIA.
SAN FRANCISCO, January 11, 1886.

To the President of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County—Gentlemen: I hereby offer to purchase four hundred and thirty-seven thousand ($437,000) dollars' 4½ per cent. Los Angeles county bonds, at par and interest, said bonds being in lieu of $377,000 bonds issued to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company and $60,000 bridge bonds to be redeemed. Yours truly,

THOMAS BROWN.

Thereupon the Board, by formal resolution, accepted the bid of Thomas Brown and ordered all other bids rejected.

On motion the chairman was authorized to execute an agreement for building a party wall between property of the county (D. G. Stephens lot) and lot of Richard Dunnigan.

On motion W. J. A. Smith was employed for the months of January and February, 1886, to make maps of Los Angeles county, at a salary of $5 a day for time actually employed.

The County Recorder was authorized to employ two agricultural clerks, at $75 per month each for the month of April, to furnish a list of mortgages, together with index of same, for the County Assessor.

In the matter of changing San Gabriel Mission and Los Angeles road in the Alhambra action deferred until Supervisors make a new road and obtain deed for right of way.

The Treasurer was authorized to advertise for the surrender and redemption of $377,000 seven per cent. Southern Pacific railroad bonds, numbered from 1 to 377 inclusive: also, $60,000 seven per cent. bridge bonds, numbered from 1 to 120 inclusive.

Ordered that warrant be drawn on county expense fund in favor of L. W. Hellman for $4370 to defray expenses of negotiating sale and transfer of $437,000 county bonds.

Messrs. Stein, Germain and Lawrence, from the Board of Trade, appeared before the board in behalf of a petition to Congress for an appropriation of $250,000 to complete harbor improvements at Wilmington, and a like sum for the erection of Government buildings in the city of Los Angeles. Also for the establishment of a United States District Court at Los Angeles.

Upon motion of Supervisor Lindley, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, At the regular session of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, held January 14th, 1886, a committee of the Los Angeles Board of Trade appeared before this Board with a petition to Congress, asking an appropriation of $250,000 for the completion of the work of improvement at Wilmington Harbor; $250,000 for the erection of a government building in this city and the establishment of a United States District Court. Therefore be it

Resolved, That this Board hereby unanimously endorses the petition of the Los Angeles Board of Trade upon these questions, and, as the representatives of the citizens of Los Angeles county, this Board in its official capacity, respectfully requests that Congress grant the appropriations asked for, and that such steps as will result in the establishment of a United States District Court in this city at an early day.

Resolved, That the President of the Board and the clerk sign the foregoing preamble and resolutions on the part of this Board.

Adjourned until January 25th, at 10 a. m.

Los Angeles County Credit.

An event has just taken place in the commercial world which speaks volumes for the credit of the second county of the State.

Under authority of the Board of Supervisors, L. W. Hellman, who has just returned from San Francisco, succeeded in getting the entire indebtedness of the county, amounting to $437,000, and bearing interest at 7 per cent., refunded at the low rate of 4½ per cent. The difference in interest alone is a little short of $10,000 a year, and as the old bonds have nine years to run, the saving is within a fraction of $90,000. The new bonds run twenty years, and are receivable any time at the pleasure of the county. The whole transaction is a remarkable feat of financiering, and there are but few corporations in the State, and probably none on this coast, that could place a debt at a lower rate of interest. The Board of Supervisors have shown a wise care for the interests of the tax-payers, and Mr. Hellman has shown that he possesses the entire confidence of the capitalists of San Francisco. Both have done well.

Booming.

Our great remnant sale. City of Paris The finest bargains ever offered in Los Angeles. City of Paris.

Every department has special attractions. City of Paris.

No auction trash but first-class goods in snort cuts and odds and ends, at prices which no one objects to. City of Paris.

We have still on hand hundreds of remnants in dress goods. Prices no object. We will sell them before completing our yearly inventory. City of Paris.

Do not lose this opportunity of purchasing remnants at one-third their cost. All goods choice and first-class—not trash and the leavings of every broken-up concern in the country. CITY OF PARIS.

Los Angeles and San Diego.

Frank B. Shirley, recently of Los Angeles, was married at San Diego on the 13th inst. to Miss Kate Stewart, daughter of W. W. Stewart, a well-known citizen of the latter place.

Mr. Shirley holds a position of trust in the First National Bank of San Diego. The happy pair came up on the Santa Rosa yesterday, and left at noon by train for San Francisco and other points above. They will stop here on their return in about four weeks. Frank has hosts of friends in Los Angeles, who wish him and his bonnie bride all the joy that this world holds for the most fortunate ones. They will make their permanent home in San Diego.

A Runaway Boy.

Harry McCallum, aged fourteen, stout, round-faced, dark-haired and talkative, ran away from his home in San Bernardino on the 7th, and left Colton next morning, bound for Los Angeles. He has a coat much too large for him. His father, Judge J. G. McCallum, the ex-Indian agent, is at the Natick House, and will be there until to-morrow noon, in hopes of finding his truant boy.

Nice Cottage to Let.

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People's Store's Surprise Sale.

The success of our special Surprise values yesterday and the appreciation by rapid sales and eager purchasers induces us to give you surprises to-day that will please you.

Lonsdale or Fruit of the Loom muslin, the genuine, 16 yards for $1.

Bed sheeting, good quality, 15 cents a yard.
Colored table oil-cloth, 15 cents a yard.
Children's cloaks, $1—sold at slaughtering prices at $2.85.
Ladies' low-cut walking shoes, 98 cents.
Pebble goat button shoes, 98 cents.
Infants' lace shoes, 39 cents—these are less than one-half regular price.
Shoulder shawls, 10 cents.
Men's merino undershirts, 16 cents.
Childrens' solid color ribbed hose, 8 cents a pair.
Childrens' woolen hoods, 25 cents.
Marseilles bed spreads, 49 cents.
Six-quarters turkey red table covers, 64 cents.
Ladies striped woolen hose, 15 cents.

PEOPLE'S STORE.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will meet the 1st and 3d Saturdays of every month at 2:30 o'clock, at the First Presbyterian Church.

Excursions East February 4th and March 4th and 18th. For full information call on or address Warner Bros. and Crosby, 302 N. Main street, Los Angeles.

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Iowa Association.

Organized to promote social acquaintance. All persons from Iowa, whether residents or sojourners, are requested to register their names, with past and present address, for benefit of all, at 19 West First street.

L. H. WARBURG,
JOHN BAYSON,
Bureau of Information.

A Card.

A disease of five years' standing, which threatened to end in inflammation of the bowels, on which I had spent hundreds of dollars for doctors and medicines, was cured by Dr. Wong, the able Chinese physician, in two weeks. I would advise everybody to try him. H. WYBERN.

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1220 acres of land only 10 miles from Los Angeles. 320 acres of this tract is choicest valley, suitable for either grain or fruit, and 700 acres in rolling hills, suitable in part for cultivation, and very fine for stock purposes, finely improved with house of nine rooms, two large barns for stock, and room for storing 25,000 sacks of grain. 50 acres choice vineyard, and 10 acres orchard fruits, all in good bearing condition.

At Duarte, near the Postoffice, 10 acres all in bearing fruit and vines, as follows: 10 acres bearing orange trees, of which 200 are twelve years of age; 1 acre of apricots, 1 acre Washington navels, all are strictly first-class, 5 acres in foreign vines, bearing. 5 acres in vines, lemons and apricots. 1 acre alfalfa. House of five rooms, closets, pantry, porches, barn, chicken and other outhouses, near church and school, and all surrounded by a lime tree (not bush) hedge. The limes brought $500 last year, $300. Half cash, balance on reasonable time.

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